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EATON

NEW HAMPSHIRE

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TOWN OFFICERS

Moderator

WINFIELD S. HEAD	Term expires 1952

Town Clerk

AGNES F. PAUL

Selectmen

JOHN R. EDGE	Term expires 1952
JAMES G. SIMONDS	Term expires 1953
CHESTER H. BEAN	Term expires 1954

Tax Collector

HIRAM J. PAUL

Trustees of Trust Fund

CORA BEAN	Term expires 1952
GRACE L. MORRISON	Term expires 1953
JOHN FULLER	Term expires 1954

Highway Commissioner

WILLIE E. BEAN

Supervisors of Check List

SAMUEL B. HEAD	Term expires 1952
HARRY ELLIS, SR.	Term expires 1952
ERNEST NELSON, JR.	Term expires 1952

Health Officer

DR. JOHN CASS

Fire Warden

HIRAM J. PAUL

Auditor

ALLAN S. KENNESON

TOWN WARRANT

STATE OF NEW HAMPSHIRE

To the Inhabitants of the Town of Eaton in the County of Carroll in the State, qualified to vote in Town Affairs:

You are hereby notified to meet at Town Hall in said Eaton on Tuesday, the eleventh day of March next, at ten o'clock in the forenoon to act upon the following subjects:

1. To choose all necessary town officers for the year ensuing.

2. To raise such sums of money as may be necessary to defray town charges for the ensuing year and make appropriations of the same including Town Officers' salaries, Town Officers' expenses, Election and Registration expense, Town poor, Fire Department, Highways and Bridges, Town Maintenance summer and winter and General Expense, Street Lighting, Libraries, Old Age Assistance, Insurance, Vital Statistics, Interest, Town Road Aid.

3. To see if the Town will authorize the selectmen to borrow money in anticipation of taxes.

4. To see if the Town will vote to raise and appropriate the sum of $24.00 for the Lakes Region Association.

5. Polls will close at six o'clock.

Given under our hands and seal, this twenty-third day of February in the year of our Lord nineteen hundred and fifty-two.

JOHN R. EDGE
JAMES G. SIMONDS
CHESTER BEAN
Selectmen of Eaton

A true copy of Warrant — Attest

JOHN R. EDGE
JAMES G. SIMONDS
CHESTER BEAN
Selectmen of Eaton

BUDGET OF THE TOWN OF EATON

ESTIMATES OF REVENUE AND EXPENDITURES FOR THE ENSUING YEAR
JANUARY 1, 1952 to DECEMBER 31, 1952

Compared with

ESTIMATED AND ACTUAL REVENUE, APPROPRIATIONS AND EXPENDITURES OF THE PREVIOUS YEAR
JANUARY 1, 1951 to DECEMBER 31, 1951

SOURCES OF REVENUE	Estimated Revenue Previous Year 1951	Actual Revenue Previous Year 1951	Estimated Revenue Ensuing Year 1952
From State:			
Interest and dividends tax	$250 00	$485 27	$500 00
Savings bank tax	4 00	1 11	1 00
Reimbursement a/c state and federal forest lands wood and timber	1 00		1 35
Reimbursement a/c exemption of growing	3,500 00	4,771 04	4,500 00
For fighting forest fires	25 00		
From Local Sources Except Taxes:			
Dog licenses	50 00	45 00	45 00
Business licenses, permits and filing fees	10 00	7 00	5 00
Rent of town hall and other buildings		7 00	
Interest received on taxes and deposits	25 00	48 59	20 00

Income of departments:			
Highway, including rental of equipment		1,003 55	
Motor vehicle permit fees	500 00	969 15	500 00
Sale of town property		160 00	
From Local Taxes Other Than Property Taxes:			
Poll taxes—regular at $2.00	200 00	168 00	200 00
Total Revenues from All Sources Except Property Taxes	$4,450 00	$7,665 71	$5,772 35
Amount to be Raised by Property Taxes			$17,128 16
Total Revenues			$22,900 51

PURPOSES OF EXPENDITURES	Appropriations Previous Year, 1951	Actual Expenditures Previous Year, 1951	Estimated Expenditures Ensuing Year, 1952
Current Maintenance Expenses:			
General Government			
Town officers' salaries	$432 00	$408 50	$432 00
Town officers' expenses	50 00	41 10	50 00
Election and registration expenses	110 00	102 00	300 00
Expenses town hall and other town buildings	500 00	338 13	500 00
Protection of Persons and Property			
Fire department	150 00	3 08	150 00
Insurance	100 00	320 18	325 00
Health			
Vital statistics	10 00	4 00	10 00
Highways and Bridges			
Town maintenance—summer	1,500 00	2,042 85	1,500 00
Town maintenance—winter	1,000 00	1,839 95	2,500 00
Street lighting	195 00	200 43	225 00
General expenses of highway department	250 00	954 55	250 00
Town road aid	416 17	416 17	416 17
Libraries			
Libraries	25 00	25 00	25 00
Public Welfare			
Town poor	500 00		250 00
Old age assistance	1,500 00	1,461 25	1,500 00

Interest			
On temporary loans	200 00	204 65	100 00
Payments to Other Governmental Divisions			
County taxes	1,862 38	1,862 38	1,850 00
School taxes	10,494 86	10,494 86	12,517 34
Total Expenditures	$19,295 41	$20,719 08	$22,900 51

SUMMARY OF INVENTORY

Lands and buildings (exclusive of growing wood and timber)	$221,822 00
Electric plants	16,746 00
Horses, 11	775 00
Cows, 56	3,890 00
Other neat stock, 6	240 00
Sheep and goats, 15	150 00
Portable mills, 2	1,000 00
Boats and launches, 28	1,000 00
Wood, lumber, etc.	13,790 00
Gasoline pumps and tanks, 5	625 00
Stock in trade	550 00
Mills and machinery, 3	2,250 00
Total Valuation	$262,838 00
Poll taxes, 103 at $2.00	$206 00
Amount of property valuation exempted to veterans	$9,630 00

Number of veterans who receive property exemptions, 13

Number of veterans exempted from poll taxes, 14

STATEMENT OF APPROPRIATIONS AND TAXES ASSESSED

Appropriations		
Town officers' salaries		$ 432 00
Town officers' expenses		50 00
Election and registration expenses		110 00
Town hall and buildings		500 00
Fire department		150 00
Town road aid		416 17
Town maintenance, summer		1,500 00
Town maintenance, winter		1,000 00
Street lighting		195 00
General expenses of highway department		250 00
Libraries		25 00
Old age assistance		1,500 00
Town Poor		500 00
Advertising and regional associations		24 00
Interest		200 00
County tax		1,862 00
School tax		10,494 86
Total Town and School Appropriations		$19,219 03
Less: Estimated Revenues and Credits		
Reimbursement a/c exemption of growing wood and timber	$4,819 99	
Interest and dividend tax	250 00	
Savings bank tax	4 00	
Motor vehicle permit fees	500 00	
Dog licenses	50 00	
Business licenses and permits	10 00	
Interest received on taxes	25 00	
Total Revenues and Credits		$5,658 99
Less Poll taxes at $2.00		206 00

FINANCIAL REPORT

Fiscal Year Ending December 31, 1951

BALANCE SHEET

Assets

Cash in hands of treasurer	$1,199 64	
Accounts Due to Town		
Due from state:		
Bounties	48 25	
Other bills due town:		
Rent of bulldozer	69 00	
Unredeemed Taxes (from tax sale on account of)		
Levy of 1950	56 48	
Levy of 1949	118 17	
Previous years	31 03	
Uncollected Taxes		
Levy of 1951	2,254 46	
State Head taxes—levy of 1951	90 00	
Total Assets		$3,867 03
Grand Total		$3,867 03
Net debt, December 31, 1950		$258 90
Net surplus, December 31, 1951		277 03
Increase of surplus		$535 93

Liabilities

Accounts Owed by the Town		
Due to state:		
State Head taxes, 1951		
Uncollected	$ 90 00	
Outstanding Temporary Loans in Anticipation of Taxes:		
Carroll County Trust Co., Dec. 31, 1952	3,500 00	
Total Liabilities		$3,590 00
Excess of assets over liabilities (surplus)		277 03
Grand Total		$3,867 03

Uniform Classification

Receipts

Current Revenue		
From Local Taxes: (collected and remitted to treasurer)		
Property taxes, 1951	$11,542 95	
Poll taxes, current year, regular at $2	168 00	
Yield taxes	3,953 23	
State Head taxes at $5	520 00	
Total Current Year's Taxes collected and remitted		$16,184 18
Property taxes and yield taxes, previous years		1,398 50
Poll taxes, previous years, regular at $2		90 00
Interest received on taxes		48 34
Penalties on state head taxes		75
Tax sales redeemed		608 92

From State		
For Class V highway maintenance		1,401 00
Interest and dividend tax		485 27
Reimbursement a/c exemption of growing wood and timber		1,615 30
Fighting forest fires		8 13
Bounties		50 50
From Local Sources, Except Taxes		
Dog licenses		45 00
Business licenses, permits and filing fees		7 00
Rent of town property		7 00
Income from departments		1,003 55
Registration of motor vehicles, 1951 permits		969 15
Total Current Receipts		$23,922 59
Receipts Other Than Current Revenue		
Refunds	74 11	
Sale of town property	160 00	
Total Receipts Other than Current Revenue		$234 11
Total receipts from all sources		$24,156 70
Cash on hand January 1, 1951		3,634 45
Grand Total		$27,791 15

Payments

Current Maintenance Expenses		
General Government		
Town officers' salaries	$408 50	
Election and registration expenses	102 00	
Expenses town hall and other town buildings	582 49	

Protection of Persons and Property			
Fire department, including forest fires		3 08	
Bounties		48 25	
Insurance		302 18	
Health			
Vital statistics		6 00	
Highways and Bridges			
Town road aid		416 17	
Town maintenance			
Summer	$3,443 75		
Winter	1,839 95		
	------	5,283 70	
Street lighting		200 43	
General expenses of highway department		954 65	
Libraries			
Libraries		25 00	
Public Welfare			
Old age assistance		1,461 25	
Unclassified			
Advertising and regional associations		24 00	
Taxes bought by town		130 12	
Discounts, abatements and refunds		43 80	

Total Current Maintenance Expenses			$10,009 62
Interest			
Paid on temporary loans in anticipation of taxes		$204 65	

Total Interest Payments			204 65
Indebtedness			
Payments on temporary loans in anticipation of taxes		3,500 00	

Total Indebtedness Payments			3,500 00

Payments to Other Governmental Divisions		
State head taxes paid to state treasurer	520 00	
Taxes paid to county	1,862 38	
Payments to school districts, 1951 tax	10,494 86	
Total Payments to Other Governmental Divisions		12,877 24
Total payments for all purposes		$26,591 51
Cash on hand December 31, 1951		1,199 64
Grand Total		$27,791 15

SCHEDULE OF TOWN PROPERTY

Town hall, lands and buildings	$ 4,500 00
Furniture and equipment	100 00
Fire department, lands and buildings, equipment	1,000 00
Highway department, lands and buildings	300 00
Equipment	5,000 00
Materials and supplies	200 00
Schools, lands and buildings	1,000 00
Equipment	500 00
All lands and buildings acquired through tax collector's deeds	
1 lot wild land	100 00
Total	$12,700 00

TAX COLLECTOR'S REPORT

SUMMARY OF WARRANT

Levy of 1951

—Dr.—

Taxes Committed to Collector		
Property taxes	$13,704 66	
Poll taxes	210 00	
		$13,914 66
Yield taxes		3,934 30
Added Taxes		
Yield taxes		73 68
Interest		25
Total Debits		$17,922 89

—Cr.—

Remittance to Treasurer		
Property taxes	$11,542 95	
Poll taxes	168 00	
Yield taxes	3,953 23	
Abatements	4 00	
Interest collected	25	
Uncollected Taxes as per Collector's List		
Property taxes	2,161 71	
Poll taxes	38 00	
Yield taxes	54 75	
Total Credits		$17,922 89

OUTSTANDING TAXES

Levy of 1951

	Property	Poll
Leslie Bean	$21 87	$2 00
Bernice Brooks	16 47	2 00

George Brown		2 00
Luther E. Dearborne, Est.	22 95	
Arthur Day		2 00
Elsie Day		2 00
Alice Day		2 00
Carroll W. Dearborne	18 63	
Frances DeWitt		2 00
Harland DeWitt	224 64	2 00
Robert Ellis	2 70	
Frank G. French	514 89	
Lawrence Gray	30 24	
Louise Gray		2 00
James Higgins	5 40	2 00
Charles W. and Cynthia Hurll	49 95	
Gladstone Jackson	31 32	
Evelyn Johnson		2 00
Sewell Johnson	58 32	2 00
Ethelyn Johnson		2 00
Annie Lamper		2 00
Robert Linscott	73 44	2 00
Ernest Nelson	395 82	
Ethel M. Perkins	48 60	
William Perkins	2 70	
Perley Shackford	16 20	2 00
Beryl Shackford		2 00
Robert Thurston	17 55	2 00
Ellen E. Thurston		2 00
Howard Young, Jr.	21 60	
Gladys DeMar	86 40	
Betty Davis	56 70	
R. F. Harmon	3 78	
C. Huntington	70 74	
Gilbert Huntington	17 28	
Ada McCullough	2 16	
Randolph Rowell	6 75	
Harry Stanley	67 50	
Ambrose Stewart	6 30	

Herbert Thorson	192 51	
Rena Wandless	78 30	
	$2,161 71	$38 00

STATE HEAD TAX

SUMMARY OF WARRANT

Levy of 1951

—Dr.—

State Head Taxes Committed to Collector		
Warrant	$590 00	
Added taxes	20 00	
Total Committed		$610 00
Penalties		50
Total Debit		$610 50

—Cr.—

Remittance to Treasurer		
Head taxes	$520 00	
Penalties	50	
Uncollected Head taxes as per Collector's list	90 00	
Total Credits		$610 50

OUTSTANDING HEAD TAXES

Levy of 1951

Arthur Day	$ 5 00
Elsie Day	5 00
Merle DeWitt	5 00
Myrtle DeWitt	5 00
Richard DeWitt	5 00

Merton DeWitt	5 00	
Clyde Ellis	5 00	
Robert Ellis	5 00	
Lawrence Gray	5 00	
Louise Gray	5 00	
Gordon Johnson	5 00	
Evelyn Johnson	5 00	
Sewell Johnson	5 00	
Gladys Johnson	5 00	
Ethelyn Johnson	5 00	
Robert Thurston	5 00	
Ellen E. Thurston	5 00	
Russell Bean	5 00	
		$90 00

SUMMARY OF WARRANT

YIELD TAXES

Levy of 1951

—Dr.—

Taxes Committed to Collector		
Yield taxes	$3,934 30	
Added taxes	73 68	
Total Debits		$4,007 98

—Cr.—

Remittance to Treasurer		
Yield taxes	$3,953 23	
Uncollected Yield taxes	54 75	
Total Credits		$4,007 98

1951 OUTSTANDING YIELD TAXES

Frank G. French	$54 75	
		$54 75

SUMMARY OF WARRANT

Levy of 1950

—Dr.—

Uncollected Taxes as of Jan. 1, 1951		
Property taxes	$13,985 50	
Poll taxes	58 00	
Total Debits		$1,456 50

—Cr.—

Remittance to Treasurer during fiscal year ending Dec. 31, 1951		
Property taxes	$1,398 50	
Poll taxes	56 00	
Abatements made during year	2 00	
Total Credits		$1,456 50

SUMMARY OF WARRANT

Levy of 1949

—Dr.—

Uncollected taxes as of Jan. 1, 1951		
Poll taxes	$28 00	
Total Debits		$28 00

—Cr.—

Remittance to Treasurer during fiscal year ending Dec. 31, 1951		
Poll taxes	$26 00	
Abatements during year	2 00	
Total Credits		$28 00

SUMMARY OF WARRANT

Levy of 1948

—Dr.—

Uncollected taxes as of Jan. 1, 1951		
Poll taxes	$8 00	
Total Debits		$8 00

—Cr.—

Remittance to Treasurer during fiscal year ending Dec. 31, 1951		
Poll taxes	$8 00	
Total Credits		$8 00

SUMMARY OF WARRANT

Levy of 1947

—Dr.—

Uncollected taxes as of Jan. 1, 1951		
Poll taxes	$2 00	
Total Debits		$2 00

—Cr.—

Abatements	$2 00	
Total Credits		$2 00

SUMMARY OF TAX SALES ACCOUNT

As of December 31, 1951

Tax Sales on Account of Levies of	1951	1950	1949	1948	1947
Taxes sold to town during current year	none	$130 12			
Balance of unredeemed taxes as of Jan. 1, 1951			$308 00	$410 28	$79 88
Redemption costs		9 76	7 83	3 73	
Interest collected		10 64	17 70	20 00	
Total Debits		$150 52	$333 53	$434 01	$79 88
Remittance to Treasurer					
During year		$84 28	$207 53	$365 45	
Abatements during year				33 80	
Deeded to town during year					$79 88
Redemption costs		9 76	7 83	3 73	
Unredeemed taxes at close of year		56 48	118 17	31 03	
		$150 52	$333 53	$434 01	$79 88

BALANCE OF UNREDEEMED TAXES

ON ACCOUNT OF LEVIES OF

	1950	1949	1948
Frank G. French		$91 74	
Mary Shackford		22 83	
Ada McCullough		3 60	
R. F. Harmon			$31 03
Charles Hurll	$56 48		
	$56 48	$118 17	$31 03

AUDITOR'S CERTIFICATE

This is to certify that I have examined the foregoing accounts and find them correct.

ALLAN S. KENNESON,
Auditor

Jan. 29, 1952

Detailed Statement of Payments

TOWN OFFICERS' SALARIES

Chester Bean, Selectman	$72 50	
John R. Edge, Selectman	90 00	
James Simonds, Selectman	90 00	
Winfield Head, Treasurer	42 00	
Hiram H. Paul, Tax Collector	72 00	
Agnes F. Paul, Town Clerk	42 00	
		$408 50

TOWN OFFICERS' EXPENSES

Agnes F. Paul, expenses	$91 51	
N. H. Tax Collector's Association	3 00	
N. H. Clerk's Association	2 00	
Sargent Brothers, supplies	35 95	
Association of N. H. Assessors	2 00	
Secretary of State	10 00	
Eastman Co., supplies	6 59	
Conway Insurance Co., bonds	19 50	
Percy F. Garland, bonds	5 00	
Register of Deeds	10 26	
Carl Johnson, lumber assessing	10 00	
Walter G. White, real estate list	20	
Reporter Press, supplies	3 75	
Brown and Saltmarsh, supplies	9 50	
Winfield Head, stamps	9 00	
John R. Edge, expenses	24 10	
Gunnar Isaeson, forms	1 92	
		$244 36

ELECTION AND REGISTRATION

Reporter Press, ballots	$22 00	
Perley Bryant, ballot clerk	8 00	
Winfield Head, moderator	8 00	
Ernest Nelson, Jr., check list	16 00	
Samuel Head, check list	16 00	
W. E. Bean, ballot clerk	8 00	
Harry Ellis, Sr., ballot clerk	24 00	
		$102 00

TOWN HALL EXPENSES

Perley Bryant, repairs	$ 1 00
Reporter Press, town reports	234 40
Mark Snow, painting	60 00

Conway Supply Co., paint, etc.	13 70	
Bruce Gass, hardware	3 00	
Public Service Co.	26 03	
		$338 13

FIRE DEPARTMENT

Ellsworth Russell, warden expense	$3 08	
		$3 08

BOUNTIES

James Simonds, hedgehogs	$18 25	
James Simonds, bear	5 00	
Gordon Johnson, bears	10 00	
Chester Bean, hedgehogs	8 75	
John R. Edge, hedgehogs	6 25	
		$48 25

VITAL STATISTICS

Town of Conway	$2 00	
Agnes F. Paul	4 00	
		$6 00

HIGHWAY MAINTENANCE — Summer

All Districts

W. E. Bean, road agent	$ 895 70
Ben Bickford	510 80
Irving Bickford	63 50
Roland Tappan, Jr.	291 90
Merton DeWitt	292 40
Robert Linscott	361 22
William Johnson	312 60

Harry Ellis	7 20	
John Heath	97 60	
George Brown	7 20	
Bruce Head	7 20	
Ernest Nelson, Sr., sand	44 60	
Lovejoy, gravel	39 50	
White Mt. Oil Co.	204 97	
New England Metal, culverts	283 36	
State of N. H., culverts	23 00	
		$3,444 75

HIGHWAY MAINTENANCE — Winter

All Districts

Ernest Nelson, Jr.	$119 00
W. E. Bean	158 70
Ben Bickford	83 40
Roland Toppan, Jr.	372 15
John Heath	57 20
Brenton Stevens	290 45
Sam Head	8 00
Bruce Head	22 00
Irving Bickford	42 50
Robert Ellis	22 40
Clyde Ellis	22 40
Ernest Nelson, Sr., sand	29 50
William Heath	45 00
Merton DeWitt	33 80
Howard Young, Jr.	78 10
Harold Beal	7 20
O'Neal Heath	7 20
Harland DeWitt	149 75
Raymond Towle	63 20
Albert DeWitt	9 60
Paul Beriault	27 20
Edward Stokes	167 25

Carroll Chase	18 45	
Walter Boewe	5 70	
		$1,839 95

STREET LIGHTS

Public Service Co.	$200 43	
		$200 43

GENERAL EXPENSES OF HIGHWAY DEPARTMENT

Roland Toppan	$174 55	
John Heath	4 80	
Robert Linscott	45 00	
Brenton Stevens	36 60	
Southworth Machine Co., tractor parts	94 88	
Grant Meloon, paint	8 35	
Bruce Gass, hardware	4 55	
Trucking on parts	16 00	
Scott Machinery, grader maint.	471 55	
Water troughs	6 00	
White Mt. Oil Co., greasing equipment	63 74	
Stanley Allard, welding	17 10	
Winfield Head, fuel	11 53	
		$954 65

LIBRARIES

Helen Head	$25 00	
		$25 00

OLD AGE ASSISTANCE

State of New Hampshire	$1,461 25	
		$1,461 25

LAKES REGION

Advertising	$24 00	
		$24 00

ABATEMENTS AND REFUNDS

Hiram Paul, taxes bought	$130 12	
		$130 12

INTEREST

Carroll County Trust Co.	$204 65	
		$204 65

PAYMENT ON TEMPORARY LOAN IN ANTICIPATION OF TAXES

Carroll County Trust Co.	$3,500 00	
		$3,500 00

PAYMENTS TO OTHER GOVERNMENTAL DIVISIONS

Carroll County Treasurer, county tax	$1,862 38	
		$1,862 38

TOWN ROAD AID

State of New Hampshire, T.R.A.	$416 17	
		$416 17

PAYMENTS TO SCHOOL DISTRICT

School District Treasurer, 1951 appropriation	$10,494 86	
		$10,494 86

TREASURER'S REPORT

Receipts

H. J. Paul, tax collector, 1951 taxes	$11,710	95
H. J. Paul, tax collector, 1951 yield tax	3,953	23
H. J. Paul, tax collector, 1950 taxes	1,454	50
H. J. Paul, tax collector, 1949 taxes	26	00
H. J. Paul, tax collector, 1948 taxes	8	00
H. J. Paul, tax collector, interest	48	59
H. J. Paul, tax collector, redemption of tax sales	608	92
H. J. Paul, tax collector, 1951 Head tax	520	50
A. F. Paul, town clerk, automobile permits	969	15
A. F. Paul, town clerk, dog licenses	45	00
A. F. Paul, town clerk, filing fees	7	00
State of N. H., balance timber tax, 1950	797	49
State of N. H., Class V highways	1,401	00
State of N. H., interest and dividends tax	485	27
State of N. H., timber tax, 1951	817	81
State of N. H., forest fire bill	8	13
State of N. H., bounties	50	50
State of N. H., Savings bank tax	1	11
State of N. H., grader hire	485	90
R. G. Watkins & Sons, grader hire	290	25
Town of Effingham, grader hire	119	00
H. S. Ellis, Jr., bulldozer hire	20	65
Herbert C. Thomson, bulldozer hire	19	50
Harry P. DeWitt, bulldozer hire	45	50
Brenton M. Stevens, bulldozer hire	22	75

Cecil R. Head, sale of tax deeded land	160 00	
John R. Edge, rent of town hall	7 00	
Check No. 1247 refunded	12 80	
Check No. 1616 refunded	17 40	
Total Receipts		$24,113 90
Cash in treasury Jan. 1, 1951		3,634 45
Grand Total		$27,748 35

Payments

Town orders paid	$26,548 71
Cash in treasury Jan. 7, 1952	1,199 64
Grand Total	$27,748 35

Respectfully submitted,

W. S. HEAD,

Town Treasurer

AUDITOR'S CERTIFICATE

This is to certify that I have examined the accounts of the town treasurer and have found them correct with proper vouchers for the year 1951.

ALLAN S. KENNESON,

Auditor

REPORT OF FOREST FIRE WARDENS

In the past year your local forest fire organization did a very fine job of pre-suppression and suppression of forest fires. Our early spring was very dry and with extra high winds and all our fires were during that period. We find that the general public is still very careless with matches and cigarettes.

In the "Keep America Green" program there is a story of two bad boys who cause most of our forest fires. The first one we call, "I don't care." He is the person that builds fires anywhere, never gets a permit to burn brush or has a safe place for his home incinerator. He is also very careless with matches and cigarettes. The other one is called, "I don't know any better," and the best way to describe him is a plain dunce. It is only with your help that these two bad actors are controlled. Their carelessness can be the cause of our pretty and valuable woodland to be destroyed by fire. Even your own home can be burned by them.

It is up to you and you alone to report these two characters to your local forest fire warden whenever you see them operating. To have our woodlands green and our mountain streams clear, your cooperation is needed by:

1. Seeing that your incinerator is tight and is sitting on clean ground.
2. Always clean a space about any open fire to prevent it from spreading.
3. Never burn in dry windy weather.
4. In all cases a written permit is required from your local town fire warden.
5. Be sure that your matches, cigarettes and pipe ashes are out before discarding.

It is with your cooperation that this shameful waste of timber and money can be stopped.

1950 Forest Fire Record

Number of fires, 0; acreage burned, 0; number of burning permits issued, 48.

Forest Fire Warden
L. T. SAVARD, SR.

District Chief
ROBERT B. SMITH

REPORT OF THE TRUST FUNDS OF THE TOWN OF EATON, ON DECEMBER 31, 1951

Date of Creation	Trust Funds Purpose of Creation	How Invested	Amount of Principal	Rate of Interest	Balance of Income on hand at beginning of year	Income During Year	Expended During Year	Balance of Income on hand at end of year
Sept. 13, 1917	Wm. H. Palmer, for care of lot in Old Center Cemetery	Deposited with The Carroll County Trust Co.	$100.00	1½ %	$ 6.90	$ 1.59	$ 2.00	$ 6.49
Nov. 7, 1925	John S Lowd, for care of lot in Eaton Center Cemetery	Deposited with The Rochester Trust Company	100.00	2 %	31.46	2.63	2.00	32.09
Jan. 30, 1927	Fred R. Thompson, for care of lot on Old Home Place and Snowville Cemetery	Deposited with The Carroll County Trust Co.	100.00	1½ %	74.74	2.62		77.36
Dec. 5, 1932	Francis M. Wood, for care of lot in Eaton Center Cemetery	Deposited with The Carroll County Trust Co.	50.00	1½ %	1.25	.76	1.00	1.01
Oct. 1, 1937	Addie R. Drew, Est., for care of lot in Eaton Center Cemetery	Deposited with The Carroll County Trust Co.	58.00	1½ %	1.18	.88	1.00	1.06
Mar. 28, 1939	Mr. and Mrs. M. L. Rounds, for care of lot in Snowville Cemetery	Deposited with The Carroll County Trust Co.	100.00	1½ %	9.38	1.64	2.00	9.02
June 30, 1941	Mr. Wm. and Susie Snow, for care of lot in Snowville Cemetery	Deposited with The Carroll County Trust Co.	100.00	1½ %	6.15	1.58	2.00	5.73
Aug. 11, 1941	Zylphia Paul, for care of lot in Eaton Center Cemetery	Deposited with The Carroll County Trust Co.	150.00	1½ %	7.99	2.37		10.36
Nov. 1, 1941	J. Fred Shackford, for care of lot in Eaton Center Cemetery	Deposited with The Carroll County Trust Co.	100.00	1½ %	3.58	1.55	2.00	3.13
Dec. 1, 1942	Chas. Leavitt and David L. Tenney, for care of lot in Eaton Center Cemetery	Deposited with The Carroll County Trust Co.	100.00	1½ %	3.37	1.55	2.00	2.92
July 13, 1944	Samuel Thompson, for care of lot in Snowville Cemetery	Deposited with The Carroll County Trust Co.	100.00	1½ %	6.82	1.59	2.00	6.40
Feb. 19, 1946	The Hatch Cemetery Fund, care of Old Home Place Cemetery	Deposited with The Carroll County Trust Co.	600.00	1½ %	15.25	9.25	7.00	17.50
					$168.07	$28.01	$23.00	$173.08

CORA O. BEAN, GRACE L. MORRISON, Trustees

This is to certify that I have examined the foregoing accounts and found them correct and properly vouched.
ALLAN S. KENNESON, Auditor

REPORT OF SCHOOL BOARD

SCHOOL DISTRICT OFFICERS

School Board

Mrs. Virginia Toppan	Term expires 1952
Arthur W. Evans	Term expires 1953
Mrs. Joan P. Simonds	Term expires 1954

Moderator

Winfield S. Head

Treasurer

Hiram J. Paul

Clerk

Howard R. Bean

Auditor

Allan S. Kenneson

Superintendent

David Appleton

School Nurse

Julia T. Cox, R.N.

SCHOOL WARRANT

To the inhabitants of the School district in the town of Eaton qualified to vote in district affairs:

You are hereby notified to meet at the Town Hall in said District on the 11th day of March, 1952, at two o'clock in the afternoon to act upon the following subjects:

1. To choose a Moderator for the coming year.

2. To choose a Clerk for the ensuing year.

3. To choose a Member of the School Board for the ensuing three years.

4. To choose a Treasurer for the ensuing year.

5. To hear the reports of Agents, Auditors, Committees, or Officers chosen, and pass any vote relating thereto.

6. To choose Agents, Auditors, Committee in relation to any subject embraced in this warrant.

7. To see what sum of money the District will raise and appropriate for the support of schools, for the salaries of School District Officials and Agents, and for the payment of stautory obligations of the District, and to authorize the application against said appropriation of such sums as are estimated to be received from the state equalization fund together with other income; the school board to certify to the selectmen the balance between the estimated revenue and the appropriation, which balance is to be raised by taxes by the town.

Given under our hands at said Eaton this 20th day of February 1952.

VIRGINIA E. TOPPAN
ARTHUR W. EVANS
JOAN P. SIMONDS

A true copy—Attest:

VIRGINIA E. TOPPAN
ARTHUR W. EVANS
JOAN P. SIMONDS

School Board's Estimate for 1952-53

PAYMENTS

Administration		
Salaries of district officers	$ 110 00	
Superintendent's salary	165 38	
Tax for state-wide supervision	118 00	
Salaries of other administrative personnel	116 00	
Supplies and other expenses	139 34	
		$ 648 72
Instruction		
Teachers' salaries	4,900 00	
Books and other instructional aids	200 00	
Scholars' supplies	150 00	
		5,250 00
Operation of School Plant		
Fuel	475 00	
Lights and janitor supplies	185 00	
		660 00
Maintenance of School Plant		
Repairs and replacements	100 00	
		100 00
Auxiliary Activities		
Health	111 25	
Transportation	1,200 00	
Tuition—high school	2,940 00	
Special activities	25 00	
		4,276 25

Fixed Charges		
State retirement	319 78	
Insurance	333 00	
		652 78
Debt, Interest and Other Charges		
Payment of principal of debt	1,200 00	
Payment of interest on debt	200 00	
		1,400 00
Total amount required to meet School Board's budget		$12,987 75

RECEIPTS

State aid	470 41
Estimate to be raised by local taxes	$12,517 34

FINANCIAL STATEMENT

Fiscal Year Ending June 30, 1951

Receipts

State Aid—equalization	$2,253 96	
Local taxation—current appropriation	6,990 74	
Total Receipts from All Sources		$9,244 70
Cash on hand at beginning of year, July 1, 1950		35 93
		$9,280 63

PAYMENTS

Administration		
Salaries of district officers	$ 87 39	
Superintendent's salary (local share)	133 89	
Tax for state-wide supervision	114 00	
Supplies and expenses	14 55	
Instruction		
Teachers' salaries	2,000 00	
Books and other instructional aids	71 19	
Scholars' supplies	72 77	
Supplies and other expenses	1 40	
Operation of School Plant		
Salaries of janitors	139 50	
Fuel	103 75	
Light and expenses	37 88	
Maintenance of School Plant		
Repairs and replacements	139 22	
Auxiliary Activities		
Health supervision	1 15	
Transportation	3,185 50	
Tuition	2,903 34	
Special activities	16 16	
Fixed Charges		
Retirement	116 32	
Insurance	37 50	
Total Current Expenses	$9,175 51	
Capital Outlay		
New equipment	47 57	
Total Payments for All Purposes		$9,223 08
Cash on hand at end of year, June 30, 1951		57 55
Grand Total		$9,280 63

BALANCE SHEET

June 30, 1951

Assets

Cash on hand June 30, 1951	$ 57 55

VIVIAN TOPPAN
ARTHUR EVANS
JOAN SIMONS
School Board

Report of School Treasurer

Fiscal Year Ending June 30, 1951

Cash on hand June 30, 1950		$ 35 93
Received from Selectmen—current apropriation	$6,990 74	
Received from state treasurer	2.253 96	
		$9,244 70
Total Amount Available for Fiscal year		9,280 63
Less school board orders paid		9,223 08
Balance on hand as of June 30, 1951		$ 57 55

Disbursements

Robert Thurston	$1,653 45
Ellsworth Russell	1,504 50
Ellen E. Thurston	28 00
Virginia Toppan	7 89
Arthur Evans	30 00
Hiram J. Paul	12 00

Winfield S. Head	2 50
Howard R. Bean	2 50
Allan Kenneson	2 50
Eva Bickford	158 19
Benjamin Bickford	1 60
Public Service Co. of N. H.	16 29
Edward Stokes	28 00
Frank French	99 75
Leland Wade	5 00
F. A. Rawson	1 50
Roland Toppan	3 00
Charles Scribner & Sons	1 37
Mark Snow	34 00
Collector of Internal Revenue	62 80
Charles McGrady	1,857 20
E. Gordon Kimball	247 89
American Book Co.	16 29
Harry D. Bunker	30 99
Gledhill Bros., Inc.	6 33
Houghton Mifflin Co.	73
Row-Peterson Co.	11 52
Scott Foresman & Co.	15 31
Scribner Burdett	23 35
Conway Supply Co.	63 23
Follett Publishing Co.	2 63
John Edge	9 00
Edward E. Babb Co.	14 88
Conway School District	2,952 74
Teachers' Retirement Fund	190 00
American Book Co.	58
World Book Co.	8 46
Shop & Hardware	15 60
Paul E. Farnum	3 00
Robert H. Kennett	6 32
Conway Insurance Co.	37 50
Birchcraft Industries	4 00
J. L. Harmett	40 75

Ginn Co.	1 30	
Cascade Paper Co.	7 70	
Carroll County Hardware	88	
		$9,223 08
Cash on hand June 30, 1951		57 55
		$9,280 63

HIRAM J. PAUL
Treasurer

June 30, 1951

AUDITOR'S CERTIFICATE

This is to certify that I have examined the books, vouchers, bank statements and other financial records of the treasurer of the school district of Eaton, of which the above is a true summary for the fiscal year ending June 30, 1951, and find them correct in all respects.

ALLAN S. KENNESON
Auditor

June 30, 1951

Report of Superintendent

To the School Board and Citizens of Eaton:

The positive and constructive action taken at the special school district meeting shows that the people of Eaton realize the significance and importance of education.

This new building will mean that no longer will one teacher be confronted with the impossible task of trying to teach six grades and 40 pupils in one room. This new program will provide not only a pleasant new school home but will mean a progressive step forward in our instructional program.

The entire eight grades will be housed here with one teacher for the primary and one for the upper elementary grades.

This building can become a community center serving the needs of civic organizations, adult and youth groups.

I wish to express my appreciation to the Eaton School Board for their assistance in the administration of school affairs.

DAVID APPLETON
Superintendent of Schools

EATON PUPILS ATTENDING KENNETT HIGH SCHOOL, CONWAY

Bean, David	grade 9	Hurll, Charles	grade 9
Day, Eunice	10	Lamper, Norman	11
DeWitt, Albert	11	Shackford, Ernest	12
DeWitt, Arlene	10	Shackford, Harry	9
Heath, Kenneth	11		

EATON PUPILS ATTENDING CONWAY VILLAGE ELEMENTARY SCHOOL

Beane, Audrey	grade 8	Heath, Gary	grade 8
Brooks, Jerry	7	Heath, Richard	8
DeWitt, Eunice	8	Johnson, Aaron	8
Ellis, Edward	7	Russell, Charlyne	8
Chase, Beverly	7	Shackford, Francis	8
Ellis, Paul	8	Emerson, Wayne	7

REPORT OF SCHOOL NURSE

Dear Mr. Appleton

I hereby submit my annual report of the health program for the year 1950-1952.

Throughout the year I have been able to have the eyes and ears of all pupils tested and all defects corrected or under treatment.

Since dental care is a year-round program I am very happy to report a 90% correction. This was made possible by the Women's Circle and interested persons who gave us the money Thanks to Mrs. Simonds the children were transported to Fryeburg, Maine, for dental care.

Twenty-eight school and pre-school children attended our Child Health Conference, Vaccination, and Immunization Clinic in April. All of the children who entered the first grade in the fall received physical examinations.

Twenty-eight of the pupils had the Tuberculin Patch Test in May, four of them followed by the chest x-ray which were normal.

I wish to express my appreciation for the help I have received from the members of the School Board, Superintendent, Teachers, State Sight Program, T.B. Association, and all interested persons.

Respectfully submitted,

JULIA T. COX
School Nurse

VITAL STATISTICS

BIRTHS REGISTERED IN THE TOWN OF EATON FOR YEAR ENDING DEC. 31, 1951

May 15, 1951

Donald Arden Young—Father's name, Howard Irving Young, Jr., birthplace, Tamworth, N. H.; mother's name, Julia Bernice Rowell, birthplace, Madison, N. H.

October 14, 1951

Jerry Richard Cluff—Father's name, Sidney Woodhell Cluff, birthplace, Dover, N. H.; mother's name, Myrtle Etta DeWitt, birthplace, Conway, N. H.

December 25, 1951

Marshall Henry French—Father's name, Robert Keith French, birthplace. East Auburn, Maine; mother's name, Mary Esther Abbott, birthplace, East Andover, Maine.

MARRIAGES REGISTERED IN THE TOWN OF EATON FOR YEAR ENDING DEC. 31, 1951

August 11, 1951

Donald Albert Linscott—Mother's name, Leona Lucy Linscott, birthplace, West Brownfield, Maine; Geraldine Marcia Osborne—Father's name, Gerald Stevens Osborne, birthplace, East Brownfield, Maine, mother's name, Isabelle May Decker, birthplace, Kingham, Maine.

November 3, 1951

Russell Howard Bean—Father's name, Guy Bean, birthplace, Eaton, N. H., mother's name, Effie Eleanor DeWitt, birthplace, Eaton, N. H.; Roberta Ellen Thurston—Father's name, Robert Thurston, birthplace, Eaton, N. H., mother's name, Ellen Etta Bickford, birthplace, Madison, N. H.

December 23, 1951

Francis John Smith—Father's name, Frank Christopher Smith, birthplace, New York, mother's name, Loretta Mary Skelly, birthplace, Connecticut; Zoe Alma Head—Father's name, Winfield Scott Head, birthplace, Eaton, N. H., mother's name, Helen Rosella Blake, birthplace, Brownfield, Maine.

DEATHS REGISTERED IN THE TOWN OF EATON FOR YEAR ENDING DEC. 31, 1951

October 7, 1951

Mary Merrill Tasker—Father's name, Otis B. Merrill. Mother's name, Abbie Sinclair.